

MAIL STOP AF PATENT 8075-1055

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Tadahiro OHMI et al.

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Application No. 09/889,269

Group 1772

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Examiner A. Chevalier

METAL MATERIAL HAVING FORMED THEREON CHROMIUM OXIDE, PASSIVE FILM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND PARTS CONTACTING WITH FLUID AND SYSTEM FOR SUPPLYING FLUID AND EXHAUSTING GAS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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March 7, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed September 7, 2006, for which the period for response has been extended three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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